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 Title: A METHOD FOR DETECTING A HUMAN FACE
 AND AN APPARATUS OF THE SAME

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1. ☐ Fee Transmittal Form
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2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
 - a. ☐ Small Entity Statement(s)
3. ☒ Specification(in Japanese) [Total Pages 38]
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 - Descriptive title of the Invention
 - Cross References to Related Applications
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 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
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 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
- ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets 19]
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6. ☐ Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 5b is checked)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a
copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is
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7. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76
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Program (Appendix)

9. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
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 - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
 - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
 - i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
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16. ☒ Figure of Drawing to be published 1
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 - a. ☒ Claim of Priority
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The above-identified application includes:

- 38 pages of specification (including Abstract);
- 19 sheets of drawings with 24 figures;
- an unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney.

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